

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

**Listings of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A diversity receiving apparatus comprising  
a plurality of antennas,  
a plurality of receiving circuits connected to the plurality of antennas,  
respectively,  
adding ~~means~~unit ~~for adding to add~~ reception signals output from the  
respective receiving circuits, and  
a plurality of phase shifting means ~~units for making to make~~ phases of the  
reception signals to be input into the adding ~~means~~unit equal.  
wherein level comparing ~~means~~unit ~~for comparing to compare~~ the levels of the  
reception signals output from the respective receiving circuits is provided, and  
wherein phases of reception signals other than a maximum-level reception  
signal are controlled so as to have the same phase as a phase of the maximum-level  
reception signal, and the phase-controlled signals are input into the adding  
~~means~~unit.

2. (Currently Amended) The diversity receiving apparatus according to Claim  
1, further comprising a phase controlling meansunit for controlling an amount of  
phase shift of the plurality of phase shifting meansunits,  
wherein each of the plurality of the phase shifting means ~~units~~ is provided in  
each receiving system from the antenna to the adding ~~means~~unit, and  
wherein the phase controlling ~~means~~unit is controlled by the level comparing  
~~means~~unit so as to control only the amount of phase shift of the plurality of the phase  
shifting meansunits corresponding to the reception signals other than the maximum-  
level reception signal.